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Subject: LOWENTHAL, DAVID

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Dear Mr. Lowenthal:

The enclosed documents were reviewed under the Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA), Title 5, United States Code, Section 552/552a. Deletions have been made to protect information which is exempt from disclosure, with the appropriate exemptions noted on the page next to the excision. In addition, a deleted page information sheet was inserted in the file to indicate where pages were withheld entirely. The exemptions used to withhold information are marked below and explained on the enclosed Form OPCA-16a:

Section 552

- ☒ (b)(1)
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- ☒ (b)(3) National Security Act 1947
and CIA Act of 1949
- ☐ (b)(4)
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Section 552a

- ☐ (d)(5)
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304 pages were reviewed and 49 pages are being released.

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- ☐ referred to the OGA for consultation. The FBI will correspond with you regarding this information when the consultation is finished.

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☐ The enclosed material is from the main investigative file(s) in which the subject(s) of your request was the focus of the investigation. Our search located additional references, in files relating to other individuals, or matters, which may or may not be about your subject(s). Our experience has shown, when ident, references usually contain information similar to the information processed in the main file(s). Because of our significant backlog, we have given priority to processing only the main investigative file(s). If you want the references, you must submit a separate request for them in writing, and they will be reviewed at a later date, as time and resources permit.

☒ See additional information which follows.

Sincerely yours,



David M. Hardy
Section Chief
Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Records Management Division

Enclosures (2)

In response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request submitted to Winchester, enclosed is a processed copy of the FBI Headquarters file 105-HQ-188123 and 117-2564 EBF 22, 277, 401 and 509.

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Time	Initial	IC OG	Activity Recorded
8:50p	rjc		No activity until;
7:52p	rjc	ic	[redacted] is leaving his office now. He used EV'S car today and had a flat tire on the way, which he had to change.
7:53p	rjc	ic	[redacted] Nothing pertinent in their conversation.
9:05p	rjc	ic	[redacted] but [redacted] said that he just came in and is sitting down to supper. She said [redacted] will call him back.
9:18p	rjc	ic	[redacted] reported on a spillage at the plant. They have the area roped off and it will take some pick and shovel work to dig up the contaminated areas. [redacted] said they are getting 100,000 counts. [redacted] said, "Oh, God". They are dampening it down to avoid dust and will cover it if it looks like it may rain. [redacted] asked if there is anything on AAI? [redacted] said that very few are being rejected- about 16. [redacted] heard they are having trouble at National Lead.
9:20p	rjc	og	[redacted] Only last four digits of number were available- 946: [redacted] said that he heard that American Instrument Company up for sale. He said he heard this from the former sales manager. [redacted] said that he ought to get his agent on that right away. [redacted] said it is an old established company, and that maybe a tax trouble. [redacted] said he will not see B tomorrow since he has to be in Washington tomorrow morning, but that he is not leaving real early. [redacted] said, If we could get them (American Instrument Co.) and buy up Autoclave Engineering. [redacted] said they had a bad spill at the plant. [redacted] called him on it about 11am. [redacted] said its not only a bad spill but "actually they are operating outside compliance". They had the drums all together. They have about 200 drums and estimate that about 6 a day will corrode through. The trouble lay with a flouride which was put in to help the decay and this was not checked. (Cont.)

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Employee's Name

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	rjc g		[] to [] [] said they are also about \$230,000 over on their construction costs for the scrap plant. Z said if they could get other people, there would be a lot of firing.
9:26p	rjc g	og	[] to a [] and then [] (-- 2 3547: [] said he understood that [] has been trying to get him the last couple of days. [] said he is not going to be in to work tomorrow. [] wants to go over the plans for the Sal Gel thing. [] went into some detail on this- [] said he will be back on Wednesday and will see [] then. [] said they had a bad spill from the scrap collection drums. The materials ate through the stainless steel drums. It got out into the field and it is a real problem. [] said they have a very serious problem and are running up a bill of \$100,000 on use charges and asked [] to review the whole container program and give him a report.
10:08p	rjc g	ic	[] collect to [] Conversation wholly concerned school work with nothing heard of a pertinent nature. (It is believed that [] listened to this conversation although he did not say a word.)
12:00N	rjc g		No other activity.

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1800 Ft.	3 hrs.	1½ hrs.	45 min.	6 hrs.	3 hrs.	1½ hrs.
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*Double these times for 4-track monophonic recording.

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